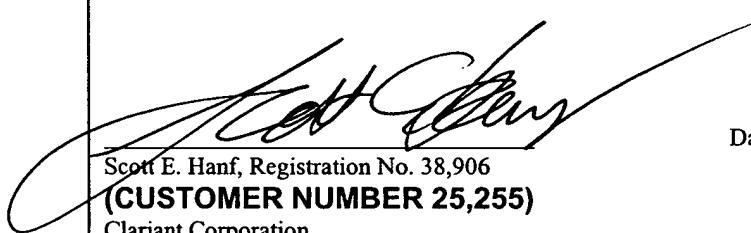


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FORM PTO1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (REV 10-92) TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO. 1999JP311			
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP00/06903		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 04/10/2000 (04 October 2000)			
PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 07/10/1999 (07 October 1999)					
TITLE OF INVENTION RADIATION SENSITIVE COMPOSITION					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Shuichi TAKAHASHI					
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. 371:					
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The U.S. National Fee (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1)) and other fees as follows:					
CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS	15 - 20 =	20	X \$18.00	
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3 =	0	X \$80.00	
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable)			+ 270.00	
	BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492(a) (1)-(4): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For filing with EPO or JP search report (37 CFR 1.492(a)(5))			\$ 860.00	860.00
	— International Preliminary Examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482)			690.00	
	— No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2))			760.00	
	— Neither international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO			970.00	
	— International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Articles 33(2)-33(4)			96.00	
	Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the National fee or oath or declaration later than <u>20</u> <u>30</u> months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				
	TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS			= \$860.00	
	SUBTOTAL			+ \$860.00	
	TOTAL NATIONAL FEE			\$860.00	
	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)).			+ 0.00	
	TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED			\$860.00	
<p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>03-2060</u> in the amount of <u>\$ 860.00</u> to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>03-2060</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p>					

3.	XX	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 USC 371(c)(2))		
		a.		is transmitted herewith.
		b.		is not required, as the application was filed in the US Receiving Office (RO/US).
		c.	XX	has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
4.	XX	A translation of the International Application into English (35 USC 371(c)(2)).		
5.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)).		
		a.		are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted the International Bureau)
		b.		Have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
6.		A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)).		
7.	X	An oath or declaration of the inventor (35 USC 371(c)(4)).		
8.		A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 USC 371(c)(5)).		
Other document(s) or information included:				
9.		An information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
10.		An assignment document for recording.		
10.1		Preliminary Amendment.		
10.2	X	A copy of the International Search Report.		
10.3		A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report.		
10.4		Notification of the Recording of a Change		
11.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The above checked items are being transmitted after publication and the Article 20 communication but before twenty (20) months from the priority date		
12.		At the time of transmittal, the time limit for amending claims under Article 19:		
	a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	has expired and no amendments were made.	
	b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	has not yet expired.	
13.		Certain requirements under 35 USC 371 were previously submitted by the applicant on _____, namely:		


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I hereby certify that on the date indicated above this International application and the documents referred to as enclosed therein, of:

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